

## IN THE DRAWINGS

In response to the objection to the Figs. 7-9 on the basis that they require the addition of a legend, such as --Prior Art--, Applicants have submitted contemporaneously herewith replacement sheets for Figs. 7-9 that include the legend proposed by the Examiner, for which courtesy the Examiner is thanked.

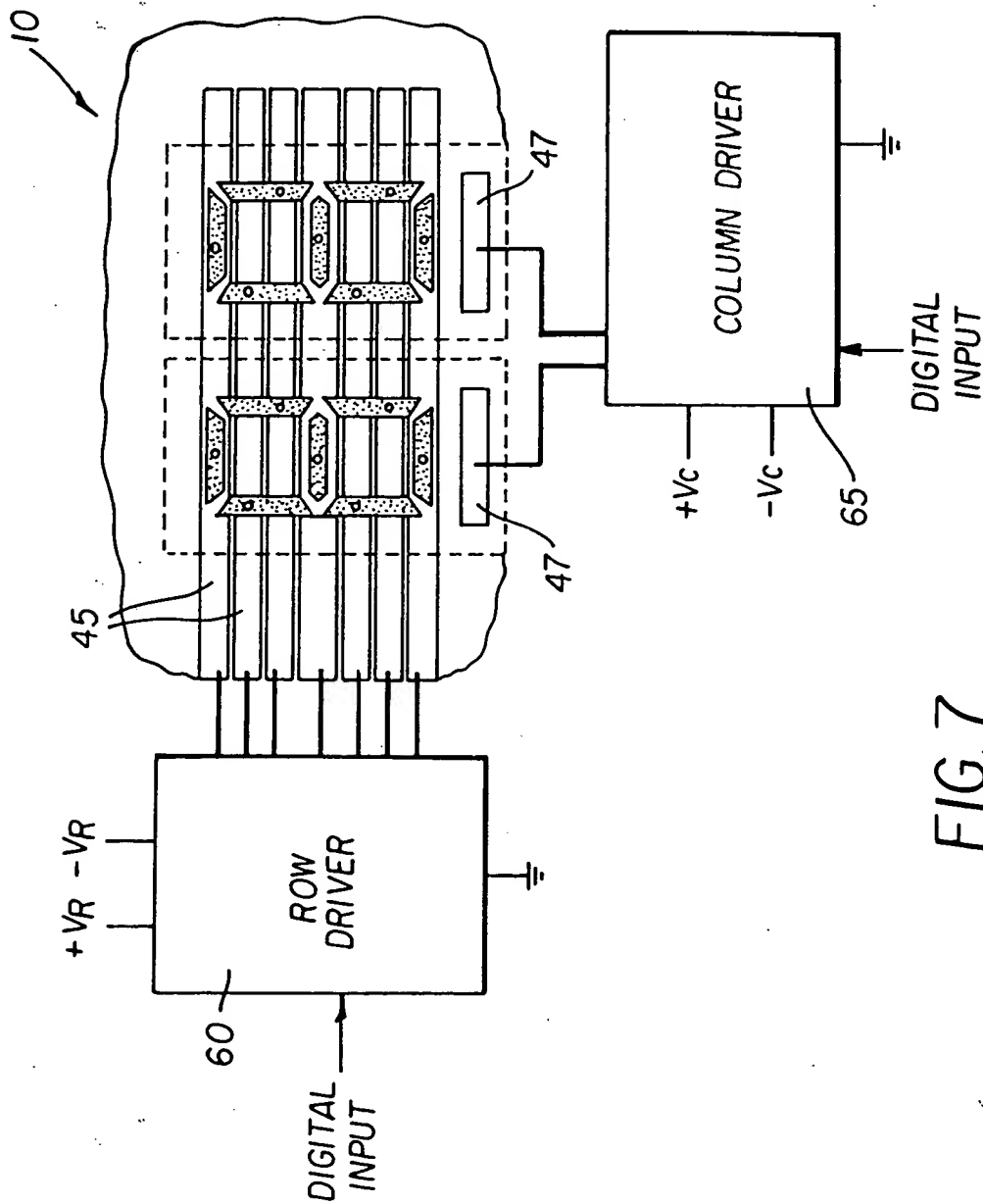


FIG. 7  
PRIOR ART

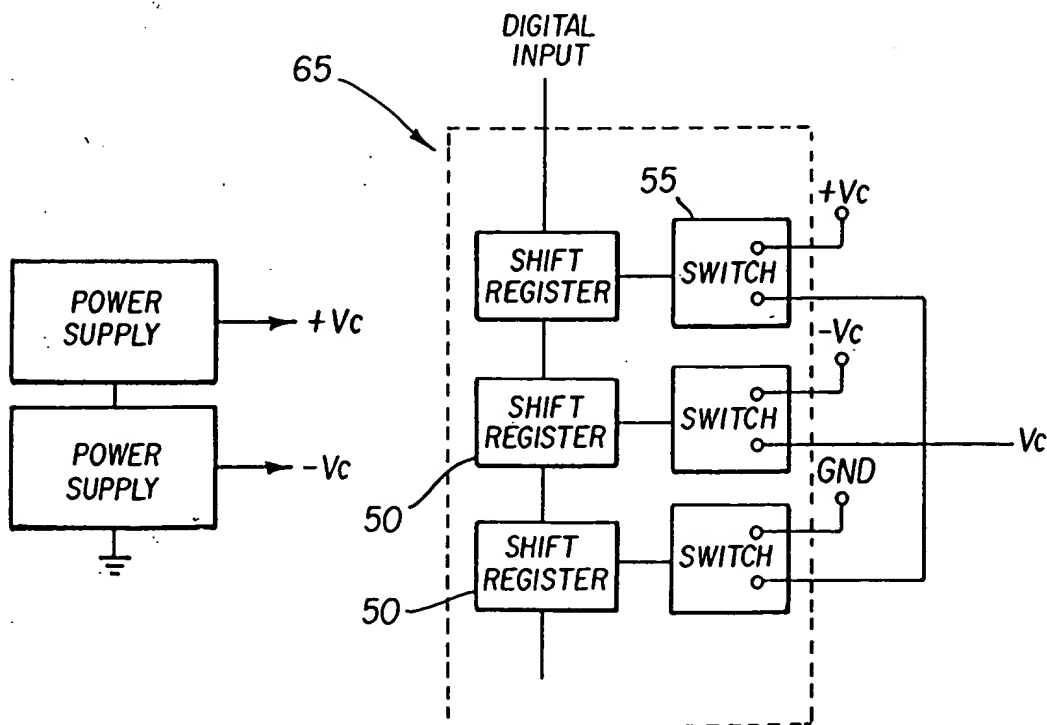
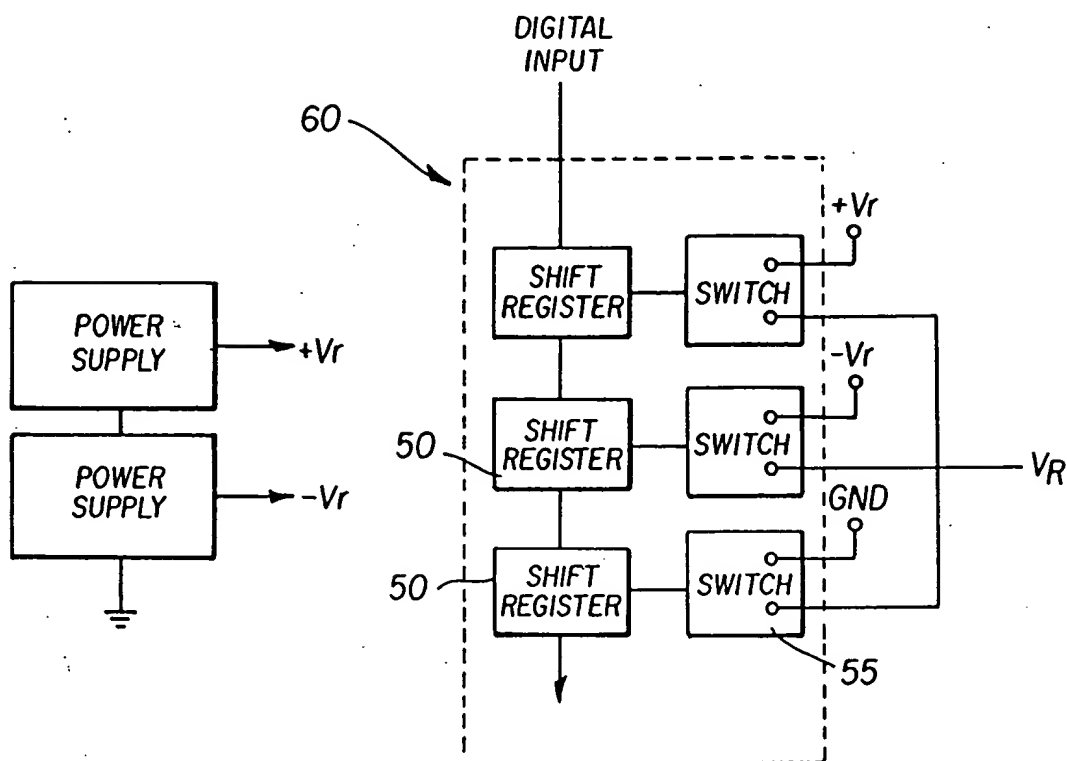


FIG. 8  
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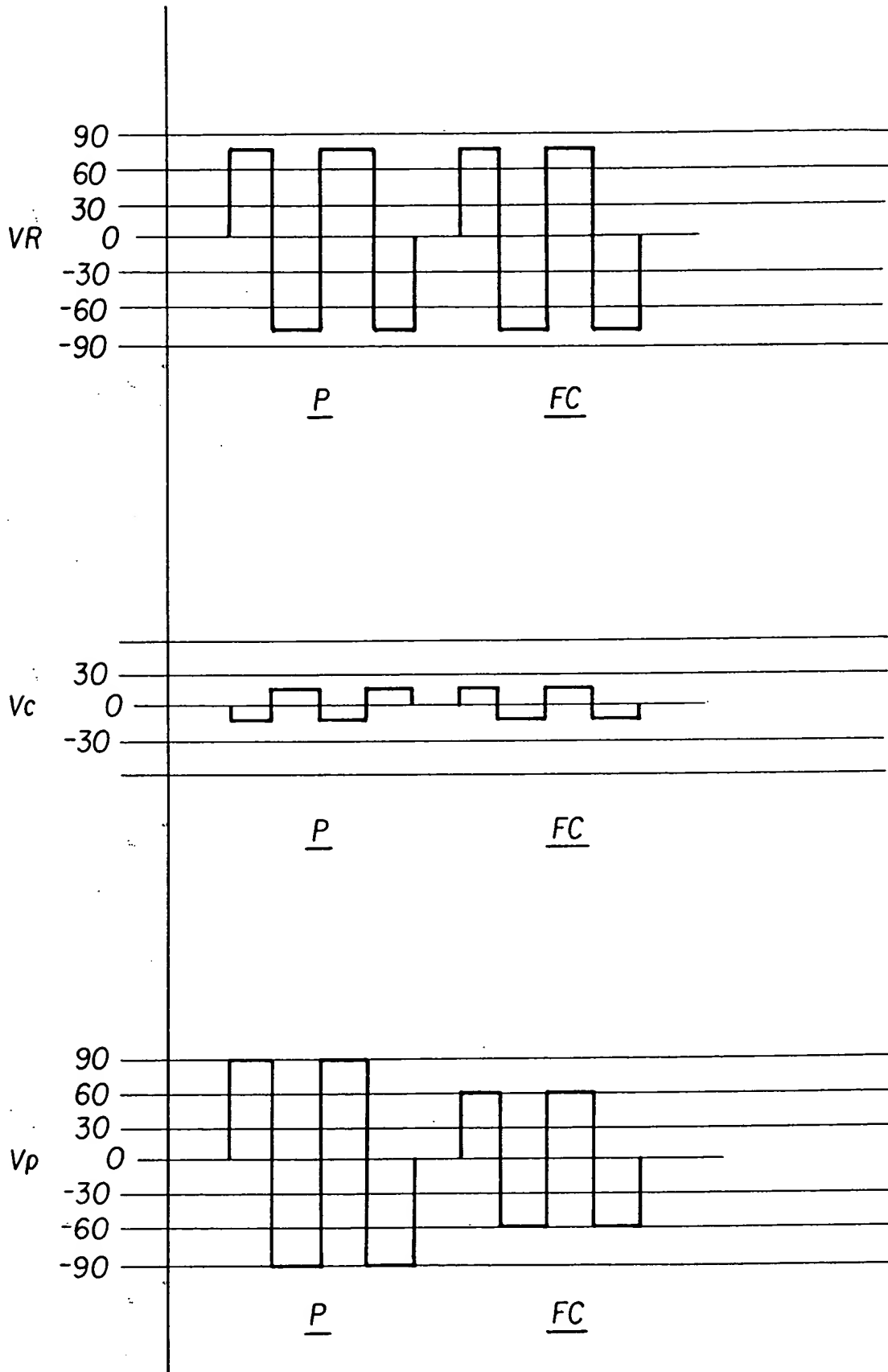
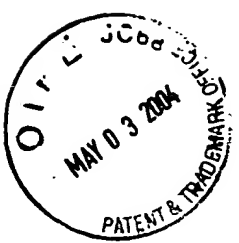


FIG. 9  
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